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**Amendment/Response Transmittal**

In re application of: Gordon J. Smith

Group Art Unit: 3629

Serial No.: 09/781,010

Examiner: T. Nguyen

Filed: February 9, 2001

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ENABLING  
USERS OF GAMING ACTIVITIES TO  
AUTOMATE THEIR TAX DEDUCTIBLE  
AND CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS

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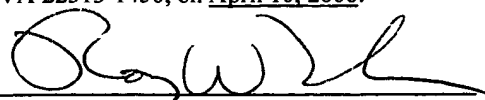
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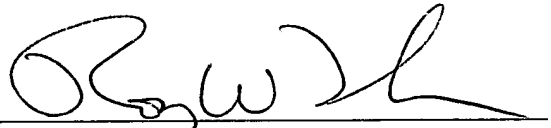
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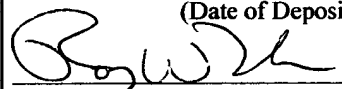
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**AMENDMENT**

This paper is being filed in response to the office action dated January 11, 2006. Please amend the above identified application as follows.

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